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A. F. Campbell, Town Clerk.

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CHURCHES.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. E. D. Webber, Pastor. Services on Sunday, Public Worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Sunday School at 10.00 a. m. Mid-week prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30. Women's Missionary Aid Society meets on Wednesday following the first Sunday in the month, at 8.30 p. m. The Social and Benevolent Society meets the third Thursday of each month at 8.30 p. m. The Mission Band meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 8.40 p. m. All are welcome. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. G. W. Miller, Pastor. Public Worship every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 9.45 a. m. and Adult Bible Class at 2.30 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. Services at Lower Horton at 8.00 a. m. W. M. F. M. meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 8.00 p. m. Senior Missionary Society meets on Thursday at 7.30 p. m. in Junior Mission Band meets fortnightly on Wednesday at 8.30 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. H. Backlin, Pastor. Services on the Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 10 o'clock a. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.45. All the same are free and strangers are welcome at all the services. At Greenwich, preaching at 8 p. m. on the Sabbath.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. J. W. Jones, Pastor. Holy Communion every Sunday at 11 a. m. and third Sunday at 11 a. m. Matins every Sunday at 11 a. m. Morning Prayer at 7.30 p. m. Evening Prayer at 7.30 p. m. Services in Adenac, Lent, etc., by notice in church. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Superintendent and teacher of Bible Class, the Rev. J. W. Jones.

All same free. Strangers heartily welcome.

Rev. R. F. Dixon, Rector.

W. H. Evans, Warden.

T. L. Harvey, Organist.

St. Francis (Catholic)—Rev. William Brown, P. M. Mass 11 a. m. the fourth Sunday of each month.

The Episcopalian Prayer Service every Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. Sunday at 7.30 p. m. Episcopal choir, efficient teachers, and a bible class.

MASONIC.—St. George's Lodge, A. F. & A. M. meets at their Hall on the second Friday of each month at 7.30 p. m.

A. R. BARR, Secretary.

TEMPERANCE.—WOLFVILLE DIVISION No. 2 of the W. M. T. U. meets every Monday evening in their Hall, 9.00-7.00.

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Salvation Army Captain Cured of Nervous Prostration

**NERVES UNSTRUNG**  
**Did Not Know What Rest or Sleep Was**  
Mrs. Captain Clansmith of the Salvation Army, formerly of Essex, and now living at Leamington, Ont., writes: "I have used in all about 15 boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and this treatment certainly worked like magic. I was so run down that I suffered for 12 months with acute nervous prostration and was so bad that I never knew what sleep or rest was. I consulted five different doctors, but still I did not make any signs of recovery. A friend of mine had suffered as I did and had been cured by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and recommended it to me. I can say that after taking the first box I felt every dose doing me good and by continuing of this medicine I was cured. I could sleep as well as ever and found life worth living. When other medicines failed the nerve food built me right up. A few years ago I was cured of a most severe case of protruding piles by using Dr. Chase's Ointment. I had to keep to my bed and doctors could give me no help. When suffering untold agony I heard of Dr. Chase's Ointment and was cured of piles, to the wonder of those around me, and after I had almost given up hope. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has made a wonderful record as a cure for nervous exhaustion and prostration. By forming new, rich blood it restores feeble, wasted nerve cells, and, working hand in hand with nature, its cures are thorough and lasting. 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50. All dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of  
J. C. Ayer & Co.  
In Use For Over Thirty Years  
CASTORIA  
A Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Colic, and all the ailments of Infants and Children.  
NEW YORK  
35 DROPS 35 CENTS  
EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

Professional Cards.  
**DENTISTRY.**  
Dr. A. J. McKenna  
Graduate Baltimore College of Dental Surgery. Office in...  
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Miss Harriet Emily Courlay  
Teacher of Piano, Violin, Organ & Voice.  
**Dr. D. J. Munro,**  
Graduate Baltimore College of Dental Surgery. Office in...  
**Dr. J. T. Roach**  
DENTIST.  
Graduate Baltimore College of Dental Surgery. Office in...  
**ROSCOE & ROSCOE**  
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, NOTARIES, ETC.  
**C. E. Avery deWitt**  
M. S., D. M. (McGill).  
**Burs & Solidg, Wolfville, Nova Scotia.**

When the Tide is Low.

When the tide is low, the water is shallow and the fish are easy to catch. This is the best time to go fishing. The fish are not so shy as when the tide is high. They are out in the open and you can see them. This is the best time to go fishing. The fish are not so shy as when the tide is high. They are out in the open and you can see them. This is the best time to go fishing. The fish are not so shy as when the tide is high. They are out in the open and you can see them.

Excelsior Life Insurance Company.

The financial statement of the Excelsior Life Insurance Company, as submitted to the shareholders and policyholders of the company, is one which gives the fullest information and details of the business of the company for the past year, and such as might, with advantage, be copied by any other of the life insurance companies doing business in Canada. The policy of some of our companies has been, not to publish a financial statement, but merely a record of the business for the year, and from the fact in which it is put out it is not always to give as careful an analysis as one would like, but in the case of the Excelsior Life we do not have this to complain of, and it must be gratifying to both policyholders and shareholders that one can see, without waiting for the blue book, just what the position of the company is. The amount of new insurance is paid and paid for during the past year was \$3,471,950.50, an increase over the previous year of \$443,957, and making the total amount of insurance in force, at the end of the year, \$16,748,174.95. The total premium income for the year was \$5,101,041.34, and the amount of dividends paid to policyholders was \$1,100,000, making a total income for the year of \$6,201,041.34, an increase over 1912 of \$73,736.97. The total disbursements for the year were \$3,116,115.16, and of this amount \$1,818,324.44 was paid to policyholders, part of this amount, \$66,350.80, being paid for death claims; the balance being in surrendered policies, annuities, matured endowments and investment policies, and \$6,959.36 being profits to policyholders for the year. The total assets on the 31st of December amounted to \$3,855,069.66, while the surplus on policyholders' account, over and above the reserve, according to government standard of \$2,200,358, was \$440,721.48, an increase during the year, of \$99,830.40. We might note that the company continues the practice of not taking credit for an item, this year amounting to \$63,217, on account of new business which the Insurance Act would permit, being deducted from the reserve liabilities; or, in other words, the total surplus on policyholders' account could have been increased by this amount. A few features that are always interesting in the financial statement of the Excelsior Life are the low death rate which has been experienced to the expected (and during the past year the death rate has only been 37 per cent. of the expected) and the expense ratio, which year after year shows a downward tendency and as compared with the year 1912 there has been a decrease of 5 per cent. Interest earnings have always been high, and the past year shows an increase in the rate of interest on the company's investments being 7.43 per cent. an increase of ten per cent. all of these have a tendency to increase the profits of policyholders.—Insurance and Financial Review.

Conversational Don'ts.

1. Don't tell long stories, or even short ones, unless you have an especial gift for it.  
2. Remember that talking about yourself is an indulgence, and as such, should be strictly limited.  
3. If another woman tells you of some sensation or experience of her own, don't immediately say it with one of yours. "Swapping tastes" is of the lowest order of conversation.  
4. Never lose consciousness of the proportion of the talk you are carrying, and be sure that the quality matches the quantity.  
5. Discriminate always between talk for your own pleasure and talk for that of your friends. People constantly tell the stupidest anecdotes because these have some extraneous charm impossible to transmit. Perhaps the occasion when it took place was important because some particular person was there, and every detail of it has taken on a radiance visible only to the participant.  
6. You judge a man not by what he professes to do, but by what he has done. That is the only true test. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy judged by this standard has no superior. People everywhere speak of it in the highest terms of praise. For sale by all druggists.

Red Hair is Decreasing.

Red hair, the real thing, not the Titian tinted, is disappearing, and there are comparatively few persons who possess it. Dye has probably something to do with its departure. Red-haired persons need never feel envious. On the contrary, they ought to feel proud when they remember that Sylla, Cato, Columbus, Sir Philip Sydney, Bayard, Wolfe, Oliver Cromwell and Ben Johnson all possessed red hair, while even Shakespeare mentions it in his plays. Swainsboro is very proud of his red hair. The curious thing is that Anglo-Saxons ought not to be dark haired, according to a census made recently. Dorsetshire contains more red-haired persons than any other county. But even in Dorsetshire the number of men and women with red hair is decreasing. There are still quite a lot of men with light hair, but a woman with the proper shade of hair (her own) is very rare. Most people today have darkish hair.

Cooking a Chicken.

Dress and cut up a chicken, not too old; in the bottom of a baking pan put a tablespoon of butter, and if liked, one onion sliced. Brown this on top of the stove, but do not burn. Lay the pieces of fowl in this, and pour over it boiling water to the depth of an inch; have the oven very hot, and let the meat cook until quite tender and brown, basting as you would any baking meats, with either melted butter, or equal parts of butter and water dipped from the bottom of the pan. When done, lift the pieces of chicken and cool. Make a gravy as usual of the liquid left in the pan and pour over the chicken.

A Fireman's Peril.

HOW ZAM-BUK DELIVERED HIM.  
At 215 Fraser Ave., Edmonton, Alta., lives W. P. Mahy, a former member of the local fire brigade, who has wonderful cause to be thankful for the curative powers of Zam-Buk. He says: "A serious skin disease broke out on my face, and spread until I was in a serious state. The spots and blemishes were terribly irritating, and yet when scratched or rubbed they bled and smarted. Shaving caused me agony, and sometimes I would have to go two weeks without a shave. I tried home made remedies, but to no avail, and various other preparations, but the sores got no better. When Zam-Buk was mentioned I had little faith that it would be able to do me any good. My case seemed such an obstinate one. I gave it a fair trial, however, and the first box made such a wonderful change for the better that it gave me encouragement to continue. I did so, and to cut a long story short, Zam-Buk, in the end, quite cured me. My face is now clear of all traces of the terrible disease which troubled me so long. Thousands of sufferers from eczema, blood poisoning, ulcers, chronic sores, piles, ringworm, cold sores, cuts, burns and skin injuries, have been relieved and cured, as was Mr. Mahy, by Zam-Buk. As a balm for all skin injuries and diseases it is without equal. All druggists and stores at \$1.00 a box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Refuse harmful substitutes.

Was in the Wrong Place.

Wendell Phillips was, on one occasion lecturing in Ohio, and while on a railroad journey going to keep one of his appointments, he met in the car a crowd of clergy returning from some sort of a convention. One of the ministers felt called upon to approach Mr. Phillips, and asked him: "Are you Mr. Phillips?" "I am, sir." "Are you trying to free the negro?" "Yes, sir, I am an abolitionist." "Well, why do you preach your doctrine up here? Why don't you go over into Kentucky?" "Because me, sir, are you a preacher?" "I am, sir." "Are you trying to save souls from hell?" "Yes, sir, that's my business." "Well, why don't you go there?" The assistant hurried into the smoker and a roar of unaccompanied laughter.

His Own Fault.

"I am not sorry for him one bit, it was all his own fault," sometimes you hear. If there was ever a more foolish, unjust and irrational remark, I don't know what it is. For a man who is suffering for his own fault has a double burden, he has the self contempt for his wrong doing added to the painful consequences of it, while the man who is suffering for the fault of someone else at least has the comfort of a clean conscience. The sorrow that comes from no error or wrong on our part we may bear with some nobility, but when to that is joined the sense of our own blame our condition is pitiable. If a woman has gone wrong by her own will, the more to be sympathetic with is she, and to be helped. If a man's own folly has brought him to a bitter pain, the more he needs the rallying royalty of his friends, for fear despair may add its poison to his grief, and self-loathing complete the ruin begun by what was perhaps but a moment of weakness.

March Weather Rheumatic.

VICTIMS CAN CURE THEMSELVES WITH DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS. With the coming of March people who are afflicted with rheumatism begin to have unpleasant reminders of their trouble. The weather is changeable—balmy and springlike one day, raw, cold and piercing the next. It is such sudden changes of weather that set the pains and tortures of rheumatism, lumbago, and sciatica going. But it must be borne in mind that although weather conditions start the pain, the trouble is deeply rooted in the blood, and can only be cured through the blood. All the lotions and ointments in the world can't cure rheumatism. Rubbing may ease the pain while you are rubbing, but there is value ends. Only through the blood can you cure rheumatism. That's why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have so many thousands of cures of this trouble to their credit. The new, rich blood which they actually make drives out the poisonous acid and rheumatism is vanquished. Among many sufferers from rheumatism who have been cured by this medicine is Miss Mary B. Kelly, South Dunsmuir, Ont. Miss Kelly says: "Some time ago I had a very bad attack of rheumatism. At times I would be confined to bed for a couple of days and would seem almost paralyzed with the intense pain in my back and legs. At such times I could not walk and my joints were stiff and swollen. I consulted different doctors and took their medicines, but did not get more than temporary relief. At this time a neighbor advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I got a supply. After taking a few boxes I found they were greatly helping me, and I continued their use until the trouble completely disappeared. I can strongly recommend this medicine to others who suffer as I did from the pains and tortures of rheumatism."

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Oh, priest, the ink makes people think. And also makes them buy! It helps your biz and therefore is a goodly thing to try. A model hospital for children is to be built in Philadelphia at the cost of \$500,000. It is almost impossible for a woman to pass a barber shop without looking in. Remember you work for yourself when you work for others.

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THIS is an earnest, honest bid for your good will.

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